TELECOM WELLINGTON LIMITED

STATEMENT OF EARNINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH

| | Notes | 1991 | 1990 |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| | | \$000's | \$000's |
| Operating revenues | | 328,867 | 344,888 |
| Operating expenses | 2 | (248,440) | (241,422) |
| Earnings from operations | | 80,427 | 103,466 |
| Investment income | 3 | 994 | 3,972 |
| Interest expense | 3 | (20,819) | (19,212) |
| Earnings before income tax | | 60,602 | 88,226 |
| Income tax | 4 | (19,931) | (29,448) |
| Net earnings | <u>-</u> | 40,671 | 58,778 |

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.